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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, United States Intelligence Board

SUBJECT: Interagency Study, Soviet Science and Technology
Through 1971

1. By direction of USIB on 4 April 1961 (USIB-M-148, paragraph 14), the Scientific Intelligence Committee (SIC) was charged with the preparation of this detailed research paper as the basic contribution to NIE 11-6-61 (now 11-6-62). It was understood that the national estimate derived from this contribution would be comparatively brief. It was further agreed that the paper would itself be submitted to USIB for approval (rather than "noting"), if the SIC so desired.

2. The SIC requests that the Summary and Conclusions of the subject study be approved by USIB and that the Discussion and Appendices be noted. The latter sections will be revised prior to printing to reflect judgments presented in the Summary and Conclusions.

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